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Applicant: Costas N. Karatzas et al.

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Examiner: Anne-Marie Baker

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Title: PRODUCTION OF BIOFILAMENTS IN TRANSGENIC ANIMALS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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REPLY TO EXAMINER'S ACTION

In reply to the Examiner's Action that was mailed in the above-captioned case on April 12, 2000, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the application as follows.

In the Claims:

Cancel claim 6 without prejudice.

Amend claims 2, 3, 5, 13, and 14 as follows.